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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

GOOGLE INC.,

a Delaware corporation, : CV-05-1779 (TCP) (ETB)

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Plaintiff/Counter-Defendant :

v. : DECLARATION OF

ROBERT L. POWLEY

RICHARD WOLFE d/b/a
FROOGLES.COM,
an individual,

:

Defendant/Counterclaimant :

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## DECLARATION OF ROBERT L. POWLEY IN SUPPORT OF MR. WOLFE'S MOTION TO COMPEL DISCOVERY AND SEEKING ATTORNEYS' FEES PURSUANT TO FED. R. CIV. P. 37

- 1. I, Robert L. Powley, am a partner at the law firm of Powley & Gibson, P.C. and am a member in good standing of the bar of the State of New York. I am familiar with the facts and circumstances in this action.
- 2. My firm and I presently serve as counsel to the Defendant/Counterclaimant in this action, Mr. Richard Wolfe.

- 3. Our office served Notices of the Deposition of Jonathan Rosenberg pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 30(b)(1) on March 3, 2006, July 7, 2006 and again on September 14, 2006.
- On July 7, 2006, our office served Mr. Wolfe's Third Request for Production of Documents and Things, Third Set of Interrogatories, and Second Request for Admissions on Google.
- On August 7, 2006, Google served responses to Mr. Wolfe's Third Request for Production of Documents and Things, Third Set of Interrogatories, and Second Request for Admissions.
- 6. Google objected to substantial portions of each of Mr. Wolfe's discovery requests without offering a sufficient legal justification for their non-compliance.
- 7. On July 7, 2006, our office served Mr. Wolfe's Amended Notice of Deposition Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 30(b)(6) on Google.
- On July 27, 2006, Google served Plaintiff's Objections to
   Defendant's/Counterclaimant's First Amended Notice of Deposition Pursuant to
   Fed. R. Civ. P. 30(b)(6).

- 9. Google objected to several of the topics presented in Mr. Wolfe's First Amended Notice of Deposition Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 30(b)(6) without offering a sufficient legal justification for its non-compliance.
- 10. Google's counsel has represented on several occasions that Google intended to withdraw its case-in-chief, but have failed to do so to date.
- 11. At several intervals throughout this timeline, our office conferred with Google, addressing their objections and refusals to Mr. Wolfe's Notices and Requests. Google remains non-compliant and we are forced to seek the intervention of this Court.

Dated: September 27, 2006

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